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WASHINGTONVILLE
LOCAL GLEANINGS

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Merry Christmas to all Dispatch readers.

Dr. C. W. Cowan was in Lisbon and Youngstown this week paying his taxes.

K. B. Maxwell is supplying this town with Christmas trees from Pine Hollow.

Mrs. John Schaffner has a severe attack of the grip, with heart complications.

Miss Mary Marshall, teacher of Jersey Ridge school, has been at home with mumps for a week.

John Carroll had some White Plymouth Rock chickens on exhibition in Youngstown last week.

Miss Emma Tourdot and lady friend from Canton spent Sunday at the home of Joseph Tourdot and wife.

Our main street is in better condition by the oilings than are many paved streets, with less dust and noise.

The Lutheran Sunday school will give their entertainment Christmas eve, and the Methodists Christmas night.

Mrs. A. J. Avery and son Farrel of Youngstown are visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Summerville.

Geo. Watson butchered three large porkers on Monday for Wm. Kennedy, and in some way he cut a large gash in his wrist.

School boys with skates have discovered that the ice is 6 inches thick on Frank Stouffer's concrete dam north of town.

Many persons about town butchered their swine the past week. Now look out for the usual crop of doughnuts and mince pies.

It appears that the beer drinking and trout eating Europeans are the first Christian people to conquer the total abstaining Turks.

Mrs. Mary Woods and her sister, Miss Eliza Wilkinson, attended the funeral of William Bones in East Palestine on Wednesday.

Those who are out of employment here manage to find it in Salem, Leetonia and elsewhere. Such are the advantages of an interurban line.

The Leetonia Hook and Ladder company will hold a masquerade at the first Christmas night, Dec. 25. Admission, 25 cents.

Uncle Sam has seen fit to pry into the newspaper business to such an extent that all those in arrears must be out of the list. In the logic of events, he should collect the arrearages. Now is a good time to renew your subscription.

Chas. R. Taylor, of the Youngstown Personal Workers' League, addressed an audience in the Methodist church here Sunday night, "Boob" is filled with his subject and is a good talker, considering his limited experience as a platform orator.

The J. D. Smith mine was idle Saturday and until Monday noon on account of a broken cog wheel. The mine from North to Columbia, and the surrounding country went home empty. The platform has since been filled with the "black diamonds."

New officers of Welcome Lodge, K. of P., will be installed at the first meeting in January as follows: C. O. Arthur Johnson; V. C., Charles Moller; prelate, J. E. Gilbert; M. W., H. A. Stouffer; K. R. S., Joseph Thorpe; M. of E., O. P. Moore; M. of E., F. L. Stouffer; M. of A. J. H. Woods; F. L. George Summerville; trustee, J. E. Gilbert.

Last Friday being the 13th of the month, the Longanecker boys, former residents of this neighborhood, were quite unlucky. Late in the afternoon a heavy tree which he was felling dropped on Longanecker, breaking the left leg. Just an hour later a brother William narrowly escaped death on the Ft. Wayne track at Leetonia.

John Cole, senior, lies critically ill from the influenza of 27 years at the home of Emanuel Blake in Youngstown. His son-in-law, W. E. Roller, was to see him Sunday, and as the old gentlemen was then unconscious he wired John Cole, Jr., of this place, who responded to the call, but found his father somewhat better before returning.

Wire, Welsh & Co.'s auto truck passed through here on Tuesday with eight barrels of Middletown rye for customers in Salem. At 500 pounds to the barrel, the price of the "rye water for the Quaker City," whose newspapers poked fun at Bingville a few moons ago because we had the "goods" and they didn't. Now they are as quiet as mice about the booze question.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Gray of Beloit, parents of Supt. J. L. Gray, in company with a party from Salem, leave today for Baltimore, where they will board the steamer "Somerset," one of the large new boats running between Baltimore and Jacksonville, Fla. Their destination is Polk county, where they will stop at either Winter Haven, Lakeland or Auburndale, to be decided when they arrive. A delightful trip is anticipated by the party on the way down the river.

A tight sealing tour will be made at Savannah, Ga., which is only a ten hour run from Jacksonville, Fla. Gas gave out again Saturday forenoon when good housewives were baking and they had to take their unbaked loaves and cakes to more fortunate neighbors who use coal. Diners and suppers were eaten cold in many homes. The street lights were also out and preaching service in the M. E. church had to be postponed on account of their being "plunged in a gulf of dark despair," even a few verses of "Lead Kindly Light" and "Walk in the Light" failed to bring the answer. Business houses resorted to oil lamps and lanterns, reviving the trade in John D. oil. C. H. Wells used the time-honored tallow candle. But Doc Rossett had them all "skinned a mile" with a good gasoline plant of his own, heaters in the basement and a bin full of Jockey Smith's run-of-mine. Part of Leetonia and Youngstown had gas all the while, and at 7 p. m. the streets and houses had a good glow. This may have been a lesson to those who knock against the cost of street lighting.

Miss Clara Weikart was in Salem Wednesday.

John Falcon is working in the mines at Teegarden.

Mrs. A. L. Taylor and Loron were in Salem Thursday.

Mrs. R. E. Schaffner is selling hats below cost. Adv.

Mrs. Marion McIlwain is recovering from severe attack of grip.

Mrs. H. J. McCann of Franklin Square was here Wednesday.

A lack of gas will stop preaching, but the dance went on just the same. David Pepple of near Shelton's grove threshed his clover seed on Saturday.

Alonso Culler has been laid up with the grip, aggravated by asthma, the past week.

Miss Mary Dalrymple, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dalrymple, is quite ill.

Dr. J. M. Van Horn of Warren spent Sunday at the country home of Lyman Schnurrenberger.

Miss Maud Feicht of Locust Grove stopped over here Wednesday evening from a visit to Leetonia.

Rev. Earl Lee is having satisfactory results with his "big meetings" in the M. E. Church, probationers being added at each meeting.

Miss Myrtle Baiter entertained the Smart Set Wednesday night and played the game of High Jenks. Mrs. Etta Roller King won the prize.

School youths are counting the days until the holiday vacation, after which they hope to enter the new school building and enjoy all its advantages.

A trolley convention of the K. of P. will be held in Columbiana this (Thursday) evening. A delegation from here will accompany the other "brave men."

Henry King, engineer on the B. & O., out of Mahoningtown, Pa., was here Monday calling on Chas. DeJana and wife. His family will be here during the holidays.

The contest of the pupils of room 2 of public school will be judged next Friday. The boys have made bird houses and the girls doll dresses. The work is all well done.

Miss Eliza Schnurrenberger, assistant rural mail carrier, braved the cold of Wednesday morning and made the rounds as safely as her brother could have done.

Railroad men on this division of the Erie were grieved when they learned of the death of Conductor Harry Reed. He was well and favorably known in the community.

A large-sized "coon dog" was expressed from this station on Wednesday morning's train. It had some of the marks of a bloodhound, but was not so vicious as to hunt criminals.

The school board has decided to let down look as though a city window trimmer had done the work, and many an anxious youth expects Santa Claus to get his treats at these stores.

The quarantine notice for scarlet fever still on at the home of Robert Byster west of town, and Wm. Holt the sanitary police is regular in his daily visits to learn the wants of the family.

D. S. Calvin, having abandoned the delivery of fish for this year, was in town Wednesday with a wagon load of turnips at 25 cents a bushel. This cuts no figure in the high cost of living.

Frank Paisley and his entire Sunday school class united with the Methodist church in a body during the series of revival meetings now in progress. This is the kind of nursery that helps in the vineyard of the church.

Wallace E. Neff, a life-long citizen of Leetonia, died from a complication of diseases at 6 o'clock Tuesday morning, aged 58 years. He is survived by a widow and one daughter, Mrs. C. G. Race of Chicago. Funeral services in charge of the Odd Fellows at 1:30 this (Thursday) afternoon.

William Bones, a former resident of this village, died at his home in East Palestine Monday forenoon. He is survived by his widow (nee Wilkinson) and two children, William, Jr., and Miss Lula. Relatives of the deceased are buried in the local Methodist graveyard.

The deep, dangerous gutter fronting the residence of Mrs. Matilda Johnson on Railroad street has been filled with tile and made safe. This gutter should never have been opened, and probably would never have been repaired had not it fallen in and collected damages from the village.

Both the Lutheran and the Methodist Sunday schools are rehearsing good Christmas programs. Both will be given to the public, but a collection will be taken to defray expenses. A large audience is expected at both churches. The Lutherans will hold their Christmas eve, and the Methodists Christmas night.

Two initiative petitions, one for a law to prohibit the shipment of liquor into dry territory, and the other to remove officials who are derelict in enforcing laws, are in circulation in every county in Ohio. The anti-saloon league is back of the move and they anticipate a trouble in securing the 30,000 necessary signatures to each petition by the date required, December 20.

Mrs. Robert Peterson of Fox town ship, Carroll county, owns 240 acres of land, yet refuses to send her three children to school because "it costs too much." Her case was heard in probate court on Tuesday. "The high cost of schooling" is what the Free Press-Standard calls it, and none can appreciate it more than those having large families to be supported upon by the school book trust, and in other ways. The public have a kick coming.

Edward Herrman was divorced from his wife, Harriet Herrman, by Judge Moore in Lisbon on Monday. He had no children and she soon became disaffected and left him, returning to her old home in New Jersey. Two other husbands without children were granted divorces at the same time.

Instructors in Agriculture from the State Normal school at Kew will give free lectures and instructions in tree structure and instructions in

Leetonia during the month of February, and the teachers of the Washingtonville schools are presumed to attend, if they hope to get the required grades upon their teachers' certificates. Education was formerly intended for the chosen professions of law, medicine and the ministry; but now every branch of manual labor has its own school for training and fitting its pupils for the practical realities of life—and agriculture stands at the head of the list.

CALLA

Dec. 18—The Calla Sunday school will give a Christmas entertainment in the church Saturday evening, Dec. 21. Everybody invited.

Miss Ella Rice and her pupils will give a Christmas entertainment in the Calla school house Friday evening, Dec. 20. There will be a Christmas tree and Santa Claus will be there to give a good time. All are welcome.

Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Hartman and Mrs. Caroline Cook were Sunday visitors at M. B. Temple's.

Jack and Clyde Johnston were in Youngstown Saturday.

C. W. Hendricks was in Youngstown Monday.

Roy Knauf and Lester Templin were in Canfield Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Neff of Canfield were here Tuesday evening.

Masters Wilbur and Evan Metzler were on the sick list a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers were in Youngstown Monday.

H. D. Miller and S. M. Burkholder are serving on the jury in Youngstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Knauf are happy over the arrival of a 12-pound daughter born Saturday, Dec. 14. She has been named Helen.

M. B. Templin received a car of coal last Saturday.

A number of Calla people attended the funeral of Mrs. Frank Rupright at New Buffalo last Sunday.

Mr. S. M. Burkholder was in Columbiana Tuesday.

Mrs. C. W. Hendricks was in Canfield Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gee of Canfield visited at Lafayette Miller's over Sunday.

Roy Metzler was in Canfield Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mansfield Paulin and son Herbert of New Albany visited relatives here Monday.

W. P. Ribbet is in the Templin greenhouses during the absence of H. D. Miller, the regular freeman.

Mrs. H. J. Metzler and son Roy were in Youngstown Wednesday.

Allen Weaver of New Buffalo was here Monday.

Mrs. M. B. Templin visited her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Delfs, in Canfield last Saturday.

Miss Goldie Houta visited relatives in Leetonia from Saturday night until Monday morning.

Merry Christmas to all Dispatch readers.

HICKORY

Dec. 18—Morrison Justice was in Youngstown last Friday.

At regular meeting Friday evening Goshen grange elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: Master, William Miskim; overseer, W. L. Vincent; lecturer, Mrs. Elizabeth Pow; steward, Thomas Carr; assistant steward, Ruel Wright; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Paul Mead; treasurer, William Barber; treasury clerk, D. C. Carter; secretary, Mrs. Richard Richards; pomona, Miss Ida Dugman; flora, Mrs. Rosa Melsner; cerea, Miss Rebecca Ingram; chaplain, Mrs. C. D. Carr.

Mrs. Bessie Campbell and Mrs. Ellen Elder left last Thursday for Mahoning where they were called by the death of Mrs. Elder's sister, Mrs. Austin.

Job Evans of Beaver Falls was at his farm here Sunday.

Harry Hoffman's horse slipped and fell in Salem last Tuesday and broke a leg. It was necessary for Chief of Police Cook to kill the animal.

Sid Brooke of Ellsworth drove a flock of sheep through here Monday.

J. S. Weaver and family of Gettysburg visited Thos. Weaver and wife, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McDonald visited relatives in Damascus, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cessna and son Delmas of Rosemont visited Wm. Cessna and wife, Sunday.

John Gordon and family and Rev. M. J. Gerrow of Ellsworth visited Morrison Justice and wife, Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Cramer was in Salem Saturday.

George and Lewis are getting along fine keeping bachelor hall.

Mrs. Andrew Mead and son Frank visited a few days with her parents, Martin Davis and wife, at the Ridge.

Joseph Justice of Canfield spent Sunday here with his parents.

Little one is only a few days away, so little ones look for Santa Claus.

WEST AUSTINTOWN

Dec. 18—A Christmas entertainment will be given by the Sunday school of the United Evangelical church next Monday evening, and the Sunday school of the Evangelical church next Tuesday evening.

C. H. Anderson and his family have all been afflicted with tonsillitis.

Harry Dick has moved to Youngstown for the winter.

The Haverly and Post properties have not been sold as previously reported, your scribe having been misinformed.

David Anderson is having his dwelling heated with hot air.

El Frigido, John Bowman and J. Schofer are doing carpenter work in Youngstown for the Erie Ry. Co.

School report of Miss Lulu Wake for the month of November—Perfect attendance was Raymond, Norman and Tod Flick. Helen Bishop, Willie Bishop and Howard Reel. Absent two days or less were Edith Bishop, John Reel, Sadie Rippe, Danis Rippe and Russell Donahue. Total enrollment, 34.

Some men are kept so busy maintaining their dignity that they never have time to do anything else.

PREPARING FOR HIS ANNUAL JOURNEY



CORNERSBURG

Dec. 18—There will be a Christmas entertainment in the Lutheran church Monday evening, Dec. 23.

Mrs. Thomas Wamamaker and Mrs. Earl Corli spent Saturday with North Jackson relatives.

Mrs. Bert Hopkins, Isaac Crum and Thomas Charlton, who have been sick, are slowly recovering.

M. K. Boyle, wife and daughter of Youngstown were Sunday visitors in the home of G. W. Ryder.

G. W. Millikin, wife and daughter of Salem, spent Sunday at the home of Ray Millikin in Youngstown.

William Saunders of Girard is employed by Frank Clark.

Thomas Creed and wife of Youngstown were Saturday callers.

P. B. Ribbet has returned from a trip to Michigan.

Mrs. Levi Little attended a dinner party in the home of Carey Christian near Woodworth last Wednesday.

Mrs. Seeley of Warren spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Frank Millikin.

Chauncey Coler of Woodworth was a Monday caller.

Charles Seeger and wife, George Callor and wife and Mrs. Louise Callor of Youngstown were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Levi Little.

GREENFORD

Dec. 19—Walter Leonard and wife of Patmos visited Mrs. Rhoda Griffith, Sunday.

Mrs. J. D. Canfield of Lisbon was home over Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. Schnurrenberger and sons Royal and Grover were in New Buffalo, Sunday.

Mrs. V. V. Zimmerman and daughter Pearl were in Youngstown Saturday.

C. L. Toot and wife, I. N. Weikart and wife were in Mineral Ridge, Sunday.

L. B. Curtis of Canfield was in town Tuesday.

Master Samuel Bush is on the sick list.

B. R. Clark has improved his residence by putting in new windows.

Fred Mattix received a car load of feed Tuesday.

Misses Hattie and Lina Hofmann were Salem shoppers Tuesday.

The Nimble Thimbles met at the home of Miss Myrtle Hively last Thursday evening.

John Schaffer and Charles Bittler were in Salem Tuesday.

Mrs. Lewis Hofmann and son Vance of Marquis visited at Theodore Hoffman's last Thursday.

Mrs. Ambie Smith and sister of Salem visited M. C. Callahan and family last Saturday.

LOQUEST GROVE

Dec. 18—Clark and Ray Calvin had business in Youngstown Saturday.

Henry and Elmer Calvin, with their wives, Emerson Calvin and family of Greenford spent Sunday with J. W. Calvin and family.

Jonas Feicht and wife spent Sunday with S. D. Culp and family at Island.

Mrs. Pearl Bishop has returned home to Greenspring after spending a few weeks here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Feicht.

Mrs. Ira Schnurrenberger and Miss Effie Schnurrenberger were in Youngstown Monday.

Mrs. F. W. Calvin had business in Columbiana Friday.

G. O. Calvin and family were in Canfield Friday night.

NEW EGYPT

Dec. 18—Mr. and Mrs. Ensign Bieber were in Columbiana recently.

Quite a number from here attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Rupright in New Buffalo, Sunday.

Clinton Beard was a Canfield caller Monday.

Earl and Lester Rothgeb were Youngstown visitors Saturday night.

Miss Ella Koerich and Philip Pink are on the sick list.

Mrs. G. W. Smith and family, Mrs. A. T. Hendricks and son Wright and Mr. and Mrs. John Schau were in Columbiana Saturday.

Martin Garring of Racoon Street spent Sunday at Eli Koerich's.

Elmer and Howard Lynn were recent visitors at Ensign Bieber's.

Elmer Dickson and wife were business callers in Columbiana one day last week.

N. L. Rothgeb and son Lester were Youngstown callers Tuesday.

Eli Koerich spent a week with his daughters, Mrs. Eli Handwork and Mrs. Eli Measner, near Cornersburg.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Rothgeb were Youngstown callers Wednesday.

ROSEMONT

Dec. 18—Mrs. Elizabeth Barringer and son Foster visited in Beloit over Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Schisler is visiting friends in New Waterford.

Mrs. J. M. Arnold and Miss Esther Roof spent Saturday in Alliance.

Frank Williams is spending a few days with relatives in Pittsburgh.

J. D. Dixon of Canfield had business here Tuesday.

The scarlet fever patients are all recovering. No new cases reported.

Fred Gensler and James Cessna, with their families, were Salem visitors Sunday.

Monroe Klingeman and family visited at Jos. Cessna's, Sunday.

Fred Gensler and wife and Ward Ressler and wife were in Youngstown Saturday night.

Mrs. C. A. Rose, Miss Lottie Klingeman and Walter Klingeman were Youngstown visitors Saturday.

Wm. Middleton has purchased an automobile.

Frank Williams was in Youngstown Monday.

ELLSWORTH

Dec. 18—George Anderson was in Youngstown Tuesday.

The Christmas entertainment at the M. E. Church will be given Christmas Eve. Everybody invited.

The Mission Study Class met at the home of Mrs. J. G. Sherwood Saturday evening.

R. Grover spent Sunday at J. S. Wilson's.

William Schaffer is able to be out again after being confined to the house for some time with a broken ankle.

Misses Mary and Martha Treffinger and Mrs. McLain were in Youngstown, Saturday.

Nora Gordon of Snodes and Hulda Gordon of Sebring spent Sunday at their home here.

James Williams of Canfield was in town Monday.

W. L. Ripley's condition is improving.

BLANCO

Dec. 18—Mrs. Clyde Orr and family of North Jackson visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orr, Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. Swank called on Joe Porter and family Monday night.

Emory Kale, Mrs. H. E. Kale and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith were in Youngstown Monday.

Mrs. Plunkett Force has returned home from Wayland where she helped care for her grandson, Norman Force, who was seriously ill.

Esther Eckis spent Saturday in the home of Emory Kale.

Many new names are being added to the Dispatch list in this locality.

G. W. Swank, who recently suffered a second stroke of paralysis, is slowly improving.

Mrs. James Cessna and son Delmas of Rosemont visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Force, Tuesday.

E. L. Loftus of Mantua was here Tuesday.

Jessie Porter of Diamond is staying at Mella Porter's for a short time.

Resin Swank and Ray Renkenberger called on Burton Kale, Sunday.